BLAZING FUN

Summer 2004
Calendar of Events

City of Alexandria, Virginia

JUNE

Civil War Camp Day
Saturday, June 5, 10 am - 5 pm
Fort Ward Museum & Historic Site
4301 West Braddock Road
$2, $1 for children

National Trails Day
Saturday, June 5, 10 am - Noon
George Washington Masonic National
Memorial Parking Lot
101 Callahan Drive
Free

Ice Cream Social
Sunday, June 6, 2 - 4 pm
King Street Gardens
$2

**Second Thursday
Enjoy King St. Business
& Entertainment**
Thursday, June 10, 6 - 9 pm
Along King St.
Free

Civil War Ball
Saturday, June 12, 8 - 11 pm
Gadsby's Tavern
134 N. Royal St.
$30 in advance, $40 at the door

Arlandria-Chirilagua Festival
Sunday, June 13, 12 - 7 pm
3700 - 3800 block
of Mt. Vernon Ave.
Free

**Jane Franklin Dance
Company**
Sunday, June 13, 4 - 5 pm
Fort Ward Park
Free

U.S. Army Band
Tuesday, June 15, 7:30 pm
Market Square
Free

Storytelling-Dianna Diatz
Wednesday, June 16, 3:30 pm
King Street Gardens Park
Free

**Kick-Off Celebration:
"Alexandria Book Tour:
A Passport to Adventure"**
Friday, June 18, Noon
Market Square
Free

Ice Cream Social

Civil War Ball

**23rd Annual Alexandria Red Cross
Waterfront Festival**
Friday, June 18, 6 - 11 pm,
Saturday, June 19, 10 am - 11 pm, and
Sunday, June 20, 10 am - 7 pm
Oronoco Bay Park
$15 on Friday, $7 before 6 pm on
Saturday and $15 after 6 pm and $7
on Sunday
$5 for children ages 2 to 12 and free
for children under 2

Marine Chamber Orchestra
Saturday, June 19, 7:30 pm
Rachel M. Schlesinger Concert Hall
3001 North Beauregard St.
Free

Father's Day at Lee-Fendall
Sunday, June 20, 1 - 3 pm
Lee-Fendall House
614 Oronoco St.
$4

Supper Under the Stars
Monday, June 21, 6:30 - 8:30 pm
King Street Gardens
$25 in advance, $30 at the gate

**"Stories in the Park with
Lisa Springer"**
Wednesday, June 23, 11 am
Fort Ward Park
Free

**Tour of WWII - Era US
LST-325**
Saturday, June 26 -
Wednesday, June 30,
10 am - 4 pm
Robinson Terminal, near
corner of Oronoco and Union
streets
$10, $5 for children

JULY

**First Thursday
Enjoy Mt. Vernon Business &
Entertainment**
Thursday, July 1, 6 - 9 pm
Along Mount Vernon Ave.
Free

J.C. & the Hepcats
Wednesday, July 7, 7 pm
Ben Brenman Park
Free

**Second Thursday
Enjoy King St. Business
& Entertainment**
Thursday, July 8, 6 - 9 pm
Along King St.
Free

**USA/Alexandria Birthday
Celebration**
Saturday, July 10, 4 - 10 pm
Oronoco Bay Park
Free

Irish Breakfast Band
Monday, July 12, 7 pm
Waterfront Park
Free

Gina Di Simone
Lunch Bunch Concert
Wednesday, July 14, 12:15 pm
Market Square
Free

**"Stories in the Park with
Lisa Springer"**
Wednesday, July 14, 11 am
Fort Ward Park
4301 West Braddock Rd.
Free

Storytelling-Dianna Diatz
Wednesday, July 14, 3:30 pm
King Street Gardens Park
Free

**Alexandria Citizens Band:
Music At Twilight**
Thursday, July 15, 7:30 pm
Fort Ward Park
Free

Alexandria Citizens Band
Friday, July 16, 7:30 - 8:30 pm
Market Square
Free

**USO Weekend at
Market Square**
Saturday, July 17, Noon - 5 pm
Market Square
Free

**WWII Remembrance
Memorial Service**
Sunday, July 18, 1:30
- 2:30 pm
Market Square
Free
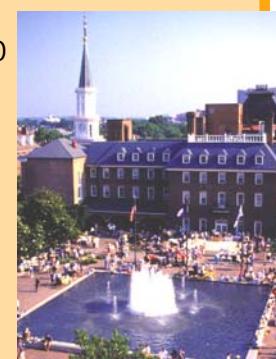
**Smoke and
Mirrors Band**
Monday, July 19,
7 pm
Waterfront Park
Free

Market Square

**Supper Under the Stars:
Marcus & Lisa**
Tuesday, July 20, 6:30 - 8:30 pm
King Street Gardens Park
$25 in advance, $30 at the gate
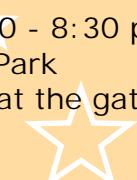
U.S. Army Band
Tuesday, July 20, 7:30 pm
Market Square
Free

Steve Gellman
Lunch Bunch Concert
Wednesday, July 21, 12:15 pm
Market Square
Free

"Stories in the Park with Lisa Springer"
Wednesday, July 21, 11 am
Fort Ward Park
Free

Alexandria Harmonizers: Music at Twilight
Thursday, July 22, 7:30 pm
Fort Ward Park
Free

African-American Heritage and Cultural Festival
Saturday, July 24, 1 - 7 pm
Market Square
Free

Midnight Flyer Band
Monday, July 26, 7 pm
Waterfront Park
Free

"Stories in the Park with Lisa Springer"
Wednesday, July 28, 11 am
Fort Ward Park
Free

Bobbette Show Troupe
Lunch Bunch Concert
Wednesday, July 28, 12:15 pm
Market Square
Free

2nd Story Band
Wednesday, July 28, 7 pm
Ben Brenman Park
Free

Liz Briones
Music At Twilight
Thursday, July 29, 7 pm
Fort Ward Park
Free

Alexandria Citizens Band
Friday, July 30, 7:30 pm
Market Square
Free

Comcast/Alexandria Outdoor Film Festival
Friday, July 30; Saturday, July 31; and Sunday, Aug. 1
8:30 pm - 10 pm
Ben Brenman Park
Free

Comcast/Alexandria Outdoor Film Festival

AUGUST

Army Band Concert
Tuesday, Aug. 3, 7:30 pm
Market Square
Free

Brian Stallings
Lunch Bunch Concert
Wednesday, Aug. 4, 12:15 pm
Market Square
Free

First Thursday
Enjoy Mt. Vernon Business & Entertainment
Thursday, Aug. 4, 6 - 9 pm
Along Mount Vernon Ave.
Free

King Street Gardens Concert
Thursday, Aug. 4, 6:30 - 7:30 pm
King Street Gardens
Free

FAN-FAN: Music At Twilight
Thursday, Aug. 5,
7 pm
Fort Ward Park
Free

Alexandria Harmonizers
Friday, Aug. 6, 7:30 pm
Market Square
Free

Annual Friendship Firehouse Festival
Saturday, Aug. 7,
9 am - 2 pm
107 S. Alfred St.
Free

ARTS IN ALEXANDRIA
A Year-Round Celebration
www.AlexandriaVA.gov
Alexandria Arts Festival

Irish Festival
Saturday, Aug. 7, 12 - 7 pm
Waterfront Park
Free

Rec"creation" Performing Arts Showcase
Lunch Bunch Concert
Wednesday, Aug. 11, 12:15 pm
Market Square
Free

Storytelling for Children

Storytelling for Children
Wednesday, Aug. 11, 3:30 pm
A Likely Story Children's Bookstore,
1555 King St.
Free

All Scottish Night:
Music At Twilight
Thursday, Aug. 12, 7 pm
Fort Ward Park
Free

Second Thursday
Enjoy King St. Business & Entertainment
Thursday, Aug. 12, 6 - 9 pm
Along King St.
Free

Alexandria Citizens Band
Friday, Aug. 13, 7:30 pm
Market Square
Free

Cambodian Day Festival
Sunday, Aug. 15, 11 am - 6 pm
Ben Brenman Park
Free

Supper Under the Stars:
Orlando Phillips
Tuesday, Aug. 18, 6:30 - 8:30 pm
King Street Gardens Park
$25 in advance, $30 at the gate

American Indian Festival
Saturday, Aug. 21, 1 - 6 pm
Market Square
Free

SEPTEMBER

Second Thursday
Enjoy King St. Business & Entertainment
Thursday, Sept. 9, 6 - 9 pm
Along King St.
Free

Alexandria Arts Festival
Saturday, Sept. 11 and Sunday, Sept. 12,
10 am - 5 pm
Old Town Alexandria
Free

Lunch Time Concert: Lori Kelley
Tuesday, Sept. 14,
12:30 pm
King Street Gardens Park
Free

Scottish Heritage Fair
Sunday, Sept. 19,
10 am - 5 pm
Fort Ward Park
Free

Italian Festival
Sunday, Sept. 26,
Noon - 5 pm
Market Square
Free

Scottish Heritage Fair

For more information, visit the following web sites:

alexandriava.gov
www.funside.com
www.alexandria.lib.va.us
oha.ci.alexandria.va.us or
www.alexandriacommissionforthearts.org

or

call the Recreation, Parks and Cultural Activities Special Events Hotline at
703.883.4686

Locations of the City of Alexandria Parks and Market Square:

Fort Ward Park, 4301 West Braddock Road; King Street Gardens Park, King Street and Diagonal Road; Four Mile Run Park, 3700 Commonwealth Ave.; Oronoco Bay Park, between Pendleton & Madison streets; Ben Brenman Park, 5000 Duke St.; Waterfront Park, 1 Prince St.; and Market Square, 301 King St.